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# DESCRIBES ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISIONS OF CHINA

The following information is presented by the editor of the Tientsin Chin-pu Jih-pao in response to the questions: How many major administrative regions are there in China? How many provinces? Where is the seat of government in each province? Who is the chairman of each province? What is the population of each province? How many municipalities are controlled directly by the Central People's government? Who is the present mayor of each city?

There are six major administrative regions in China including 32 provinces and 12 municipalities controlled directly by the Central People's government. The breakdown of each region is as follows:

#### I. NORTH CHINA

All provinces and municipalities are under jurisdiction of the Central People's government.

### Hopeh Province

Capital: Pao-ting

Subdivisions: 10 special administrative districts divided into 132 hsiens, 5 city custom districts, and 5 towns; and 4 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 28,600,179

Chairman: Yang Hsiu-feng (1) \_numbers refer to appended characters/

Mayors: Peiping -- Nieh Jung-chen (2); Tientsin -- Huang Ching (3)

### Shansi Province

Capital: T'ai-yuan

Subdivisions: 7 special administrative districts divided into 92 hsiens, one industrial mining district, one city custom district, and one town; one municipality under jurisdiction of the province.

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Population: 10,799,268

Chairman: Ch'eng Tzu-hua (4)

#### Pingyuan Province

Capital: Hsin-hsiang

Subdivisions: 6 special administrative districts divided into 56 hsiens, one industrial mining district, and 5 city custom districts; 2 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 15,738,572

Chairman: Chao Che-fu (5)

#### Chahar Province

Capital: Kalgan

Subdivisions: 3 special administrative districts divided into 32 hsiens; 3 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 3,994,303

Chairman: Chang Su (6)

#### Suiyuan Province

Capitel: Kuei-sui

Subdivisions: 22 hsiens; 2 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province; 18 Mongol banners.

Population: 2,255,869

Chairman: Tung Ch'i-wu (7)

#### II. NORTHEAST

The Northeast People's Government: Chairman, Kao Kang (8).

### Liaotung Province

Capital: Antung

Subdivisions: 28 hsiens; 5 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 8,587,666

Chairman: Kao Yang (9).

Mayors: Mukden -- Chu Ch'i-wen (10); Fu-shun -- Chang Chu (11); An-shan -- Liu Yun-hao (12); and Pen-ch'i -- Wang Wen-po (13).

Commissioner: Port Arthur - Dairen Administrative Office District -- Han Kuang (14).

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### Liaosi Province

Capital: Chin-chou

Subdivisions: 21 hsiens; 4 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 7,391,492

Chairman: Yang I-ch'en (15)

### Kirin Province

Capital: Kirin

Subdivisions: 22 hsiens; 2 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province; one banner.

Population: 6,935,671

Chairman: Chou T'e-heng (16)

#### Heilungkiang Province

Capital: Ch'i-ch'i-ha-erh (Tsitsihar).

Subdivisions: 39 hsiens; one municipality under jurisdiction of the province; 2 banners.

Population: 5,521,581

Chairman: Yu I-fu (17)

#### Sungkiang Province

Capital: Harbin

Subdivisions: 31 hsiens; 4 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 5,149,909

Chairman: Feng Chung-yun (18)

### Jehol Province

Capital: Ch'eng-te

Subdivisions: 16 hsiens; 2 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province; 4 banners.

Population: 4,662,987

Chairman: Lo Ch'eng-te (19)

#### III. EAST CHINA

The East China Military and Administrative Committee: Chairman, Jao Shushih (20)

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#### Shantung Province

Capital: Tsinan

Subdivisions: 11 special administrative districts divided into 137 hsiens, one business office (pan-shih-ch'u), 3 special districts (t'e-ch'u), and 8 municipalities under jurisdiction of special offices; 3 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 40,502,779

Chairman: K'ang Sheng (21)

#### Chekiang Province

Capital: Hangchow

Subdivisions: 10 special administrative districts divided into 78 hsiens, and 5 municipalities under jurisdiction of special offices; 3 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 19,760,582

Chairman: T'an Chen-lin (22)

#### Fukien Province

Capital: Foochow

Subdivisions: 8 special administrative districts divided into 67 hsiens; 2 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 11,150,408

Chairman: Chang Ting-ch eng (23)

#### Anhwei Province

The provincial government is not yet formed. The province is at present divided into 2 administrative office districts.

Population: 4,046,186

# Kiangsu Province

The provincial government is not yet formed. The province is at present divided into 2 administrative office districts.

Population: 11,632,000

Mayors: Shanghai -- Ch'en I (24); Nanking -- K'o Ch'ing-shih (25)

# Taiwan Province

The province is awaiting liberation.

Subdivisions: 16 hsiens; 5 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 6,384,019

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#### IV. CENTRAL AND SOUTH CHINA

The Central and South China Military and Administrative Committee: Chairman, Lin Piao (26)

#### Honan Province

Capital: K'ai-feng

Subdivisions: 10 special administrative districts divided into 85 hsiens, and 9 municipalities under jurisdiction of special offices; 2 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 30,465,138

Chairman: Wu Chih-pu (27)

#### Hupeh Province

Capital: Wu-ch'ang

Subdivisions: 9 special administrative districts divided into 71 hsiens; 2 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 21,470,000

Chairman: Li Hsien-nien (28)

Mayor: Wuhan -- Wu Te-feng (29)

#### Hunan Province

Capital: Ch'ang-sha

Subdivisions: 10 special administrative districts divided into 77 hsiens and one municipality under jurisdiction of a special office; 2 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 27,998,312

Chairman: Wang Shou-tao (30)

### Kiangsi Province

Capital: Nan-ch'ang

Subdivisions: 9 special administrative districts divided into 82 hsiens, and 6 municipalities under jurisdiction of special offices; one municipality under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 12,684,000

Chairman: Shao Shih-p'ing (31)

## Kwangsi Province

Capital: Nan-ning

Subdivisions: 10 special administrative districts divided into 97 hsiens, and one hsien in process of formation; 4 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

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Population: 14,970,785

Chairman: Chang Yun-i (32)

### Kwangtung Province

Capital: Canton

Subdivisions: 9 special administrative districts divided into 98 hsiens and 5 municipalities under jurisdiction of special offices; 2 municipalities under jurisdiction of the province.

Population: 26,683,156

Chairman: Yeh Chien-ying (33)

Mayor: Canton -- Yeh Chien-ying

#### V. SOUTHWEST CHINA

The Southwest Military and Administrative Committee: Chairman, Liu Po-ch'eng (34)

### Kweichow Province

Capital: Kuei-yang

Subdivisions: 78 hsiens and one municipality

Population: About 10 million

Chairman: Yang Yung (35)

#### Szechwan Province

The provincial government is not yet formed. The province is divided into 4 administrative office districts.

Population: About 47 million

Mayor: Chungking -- Ch'en Shih-lien (36)

## Yunnan Province

Capital: K'un-ming

Subdivisions: 112 hsiens and one municipality

Population: About 9 million

Chairman: Ch'en-keng (37)

#### Sikang Province

Capital: K'ang-ting

Subdivisions: 48 hsiens

Population: About 1,700,000

Chairman: Liao Chih-kao (38)

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VI. NORTHWEST CHINA

The Northwest Military and Administrative Committee: Chairman, F'eng Te-huai (39)

### Shensi Province

Capital: Sian

Subdivisions: 92 hsiens and one municipality

Population: About 9,700,000

Chairman: Ma Ming-feng (40)

Mayor: Sian -- Fang Chung-ju (41)

## Kansu Province

Capital: Lan-chou

Subdivisions: 70 hsiens and one municipality

Population: About 6,900,000

Chairman: Teng Pao-shan (42)

#### Ningsia Province

Capital: Yin-ch'uan

Subdivisions: 15 hsiens and one municipality

Population: About 770,000

Chairman: P'an Tzu-li (43)

### Tsinghai Province

Capital: Hsi-ning

Subdivisions: 17 hsiens and one municipality

Population: About 1,300,000

Chairman: Chao Shou-shan (44)

### Sinkiang Province

Capital: Urumchi

Subdivisions: 67 hsiens, one municipality, and 16 hsiens in process of being formed.

Population: About 4 million

Chairman: Pao Erh-han (Burhan) (45)

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AUTONOMOUS REGION

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### Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region

The Inner Mongolian Autonomous Government: Capital -- Wu-lan-hao-t'e; chairman -- Wu Lan-fu (46)

### REGION

### Tibet

14. 韓

21. 康

This region is not yet liberated. It he a population of about one million.

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5. 晁姬甫	
6. 張 蘇	
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8. 高 崗	
9.高 揭	
10. 朱 其 文	
11. 渠 澍	
12. 創雲鶴	
13. 王文波	

36. 陳錫聯 37. 陳 賡 兆 38. 廖志高 15. 揚 易 辰 39. 彭德懷 16. 周 持 衡 17. 于 毅 夫 40. 馬明方 18. 馮仲雲 41. 方仲如 19. 羅成德 42. 郵 寶 珊 20. 饒 漱 石 •43. 漏 自 立 44. 趙壽山 45. 鮑爾漢 22. 譚震林 46. 馬蘭夫 23. 張鼎丞

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